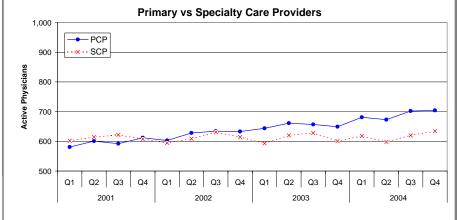
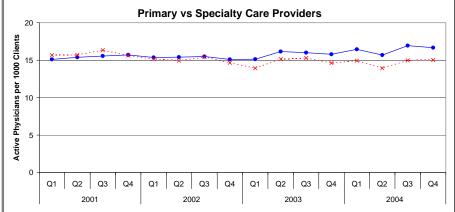
	COMPARISON OF FFS PRIMARY CARE & SPECIALIST PROVIDERS - ALL FIGURES BASED ON SFY																															
Pierce	2001				2002				2003				2004			2001	2002	2003	2004	04 '02Q4 - '01Q4 Co		2002 - 2001 Comparison		'03Q4 - '02Q4 Comparison		2003 - 2002 Comparison		'04Q4 - '03Q4 Comparisor		n 2004 - 2003 Comparison		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Average	Average	Average	Average	Diff	%Diff	Diff	%Diff	Diff	%Diff	Diff	%Diff	Diff	%Diff	Diff	%Diff
COUNT*																																
Physicians - Primary	581	601	592	612	603	628	634	633	644	661	657	649	681	673	702	704	597	625	653	690	21	3.4%	28	4.7%	16	2.5%	28	4.5%	55	8.5%	37	5.7%
Physicians - Specialty	602	614	622	608	595	609	631	614	593	620	628	601	618	598	620	634	612	612	611	618	6	1.0%	1	0.1%	-13	-2.1%	-2	-0.3%	33	5.5%	7	1.1%
Clients	38,462	39,086	38,056	38,946	39,254	40,760	40,902	41,890	42,579	40,919	41,064	41,103	41,368	42,893	41,406	42,233	38,638	40,702	41,416	41,975	2,944	7.6%	2,064	5.3%	-787	-1.9%	715	1.8%	1,130	2.7%	559	1.3%
Visits - Primary													40,636	43,989	47,198	44,528				44,088												
Visits - Specialty													28,741	28,779	34,006	31,523				30,762												
RATIO																																
PrimPhys per 1k Clients	15.1	15.4	15.6	15.7	15.4	15.4	15.5	15.1	15.1	16.2	16.0	15.8	16.5	15.7	17.0	16.7	15.4	15.3	15.8	16.4	-0.6	-3.8%	-0.1	-0.6%	0.7	4.5%	0.4	2.7%	0.9	5.6%	0.7	4.3%
SpcPhys per 1k Clients	15.7	15.7	16.3	15.6	15.2	14.9	15.4	14.7	13.9	15.2	15.3	14.6	14.9	13.9	15.0	15.0	15.8	15.0	14.7	14.7	-1.0	-6.1%	-0.8	-4.9%	0.0	-0.2%	-0.3	-2.0%	0.4	2.7%	0.0	-0.2%
Visits per PrimPhy													59.7	65.4	67.2	63.3				63.9												
Visits per SpcPhy													46.5	48.1	54.8	49.7				49.8												
PrimVisits per 1k Clients													982.3	1,025.6	1,139.9	1,054.3				1,050.5												
SpcVisits per 1k Clients													694.8	670.9	821.3	746.4				733.3												
TOP QUARTILE**																																
Physicians - Primary	65.5%	64.3%	61.8%	64.7%	65.6%	64.4%	63.4%	63.6%	64.4%	63.0%	63.6%	65.0%	66.2%	64.9%	64.5%	65.2%	64.1%	64.2%	64.0%	65.2%	-1.0%	-1.6%	0.2%	0.3%	1.4%	2.2%	-0.2%	-0.4%	0.2%	0.3%	1.2%	1.8%
Physicians - Specialty	69.2%	70.0%	68.9%	69.4%	68.9%	68.7%	68.5%	69.4%	68.0%	69.3%	67.3%		68.4%			67.0%	69.4%	68.9%	67.9%	67.6%	0.0%	0.0%	-0.5%	-0.7%	-2.5%	-3.6%	-1.0%	-1.4%	0.1%	0.1%	-0.3%	-0.4%





<sup>\*</sup> COUNT is the unduplicated count of physicians and/or clients.

\*\* TOP QUARTILE is the percent of client visits provided by the top 25% of the most active physicians.